# Polek, Jim

From: Harris-Bishop, Rusty

Sent: Thursday, January 15, 2015 4:31 PM

To: Bellamy, Kandice; Jones, Joel E.; Manzanilla, Enrique
Cc: Polek, Jim; McDaniel, Doug; Sakow, Rick; Kennedy, Aisha

**Subject:** RE: Santa Clara WWTP

## Great! Thanks!

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From: Bellamy, Kandice

Sent: Thursday, January 15, 2015 4:30 PM

**To:** Harris-Bishop, Rusty; Jones, Joel E.; Manzanilla, Enrique **Cc:** Polek, Jim; McDaniel, Doug; Sakow, Rick; Kennedy, Aisha

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Rusty, according to the California Department of Toxic Substances Control hazardous waste tracking database (which includes California-only hazardous waste), no hazardous waste has been received at the facility. The information for this facility in the database stops at 2007. If anything had been sent to this facility on a manifest, it would have been captured in the data system.

From: Harris-Bishop, Rusty

Sent: Thursday, January 15, 2015 11:35 AM

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#### Thanks Kandice:

I told Nahal that the facility would most likely have the best information about what was sent there, but that EPA or our sites might not be identified, since it would be RCRA non-hazardous waste (not CERCLA non-hazardous wastes), but could still not be allowed to be poured into the drain, if it had oils or it exceeded an NPDES permit, or we just didn't have a place to dispose of the water generated during sampling or aquifer testing. Can you verify that the facility was only accepting non-hazardous wastes?

## Rusty

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**Sent:** Thursday, January 15, 2015 11:27 AM

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I only have one recent 2013 email inquiry from a non- EPA contractor. I checked with that contractor and no waste was sent there. In general, for waste that is not hazardous, there is not a mechanism for tracking shipments. Contractors contact businesses they would like to utilize. If a facility has been approved they will receive correspondence from EPA. Facility's use the correspondence to demonstrate their approval. In many cases, the contractor will not verify acceptability status with EPA once the facility produces documentation of approval.

#### The HWTS database records for Santa Clara Wastewater conclude at 2007.

From: Jones, Joel E.

Sent: Wednesday, January 14, 2015 5:34 PM

To: McDaniel, Doug; Sakow, Rick; Bellamy, Kandice; Kennedy, Aisha

Cc: Polek, Jim

Subject: Fw: Santa Clara WWTP

FYI

## Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

From: Manzanilla, Enrique < Manzanilla. Enrique@epa.gov >

Sent: Wednesday, January 14, 2015 5:08 PM

To: Lyons, John

Cc: Minor, Dustin; Jones, Joel E.; Johnson, Kathleen; Moore, Letitia

Subject: FW: Santa Clara WWTP



From: Harris-Bishop, Rusty

Sent: Wednesday, January 14, 2015 5:03 PM

To: Arthur, Bonnie; Aycock, Mary; Bain, Andrew W.; Benner, Andria; Bhullar, Charnjit; Bowlin, Patricia; Brown, Catherine; Burke, NadiaHollan; Caraway, Rosemarie; Chavira, Raymond; Chern, Shiann-Jang; Chilingaryan, Sona; d'Almeida, Carolyn K.; Davila, Brunilda; Deschambault, Lynda; DHONT, JEFF; Dizon, Bella; Fawaz, Mariam; Fitzgerald, Bob; Fong, YvonneW; Hadlock, Holly; Harris-Bishop, Rusty; Hausladen, Martin; Healy, Joe; Hillenbrand, John; Huang, Judy; Jacobs, Sara; Jurist, Karen; Lacey, Marie; Lee, Alana; LEE, LILY; Lichens, Christopher; Loftin, Rachel; Lucey, John; Ma, Grace; MARTINEZ, YARISSA; Mayer, Kevin; Mechem, Russell; Mitani, Lewis; MORASH, MELANIE; Poalinelli, Edwin; Praskins, Wayne; Ramsey, Phillip; Reeves, Linda; Ricks, James; Riley, Gary; Ripperda, Mark; Rodriguez, Dante; ROJAS-MICKELSON, DAEWON; Santiago-Ocasio, Carmen; searles, zizi; Seter, David; Sickles, James; Stensby, David; Suer, Lynn; tavassoli, lily; thompson, rachelle; Tran, Xuan-Mai; Yee, Wilson; Allen, HarryL; Benson, Craig; Calanog, Steve; Duncan, Will; Dunkelman, Tom; Martyn, Rich; Moxley, Bret; MUSANTE, JASON; Nattis, Randy; Powell, Martin; Reiner, Chris; Rogow, Michelle; Shane, Dan; Waldon, MARGARET; Weden, Christopher; Wise, Robert; Zuroski, Donn

Cc: Manzanilla, Enrique; Lindsay, Nancy; Guria, Peter

Subject: Santa Clara WWTP

Hi RPMs and OSCs:

A reporter that has been covering the recent incident at the Santa Clara wastewater treatment plant in Santa Paula, CA. The facility was permitted to take non-hazardous CERCLA liquid wastes since 2008, and the reporter wants to know if any Superfund sites sent wastes there. Have any of your sites sent any liquid wastes to this facility in the last 6 years? If so, please let me know so that we can get the information to the reporter.

Thanks, and please give me a call if you have any questions.

Rusty



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